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GUIDED MISSILE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING

Room 2E859, Pentagon
1330, 2 July 1956

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MEMBERS PRESENT

Lt. Col. George H. Wilson, USAF, Chairman
Col. Orin C. Bjornsrud, Joint Staff
Lieut. Gilbert H. Barker, Navy

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[REDACTED] CIA
Mr. Milton E. Jenkins, AEC
[REDACTED] NSA (Associate

ALTERNATES PRESENT

Lt. Col. James C. Manatt, USAF

CIA

OTHERS PRESENT

Lt. Col. Julius P. Faris, USAF
Lt. Col. Robert L. Lander, USAF
Mr. Robert F. Henson, USAF
Maj. Marvin M. Glass, USAF
Capt. Richard L. Haley, Army
Mr. William F. Shannon, Army

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Mr. David Sullivan, Army

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[REDACTED] CIA
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[REDACTED] GMIC Staff

MEMBERS ABSENT

Lt. Col. William R. Parr, Army
Mr. Howard M. Wiedemann, State

Mr. Meffert W. Kuhrtz, FBI

ITEM 1 - Approval of Minutes

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1. The minutes of the 1 June 1956 meeting were approved without change. The minutes of the 7 June 1956 meeting were approved as amended.

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ITEM 3 - Surveillance of Soviet ICBM Program

3. The Committee considered the request for "Surveillance of the Soviet ICBM Program," as submitted by the CIA member. This proposal, in effect, was a request for an indicator list on guided missiles which would be of use to intelligence analysts.

4. The Chairman informed the Committee that the National Indications Center (NIC) was at present preparing an Indicator List covering guided missiles which may be useful for the purpose stated above. GMIC will be requested to review and comment on the list as prepared by NIC.

5. The Committee deferred action on this item until the Chairman, GMIC ascertains the expected date of publication and usefulness to GMIC of the NIC Indicator List. *completion and availability for consideration by*

ITEM 4 - Letter - Mr. E. V. Murphree, OSD, to Chairman, IAC

6. The Chairman read a letter from Mr. Murphree, Special Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Guided Missiles, which stated that he was familiar with the existence of GMIC and that channels have been established to keep in touch with them.

ITEM 5 - Emergency Plans for GMIC

7. The Chairman notified the Committee that he is working on an Emergency Plan for GMIC in accordance with paragraph IV. 2. e. of IAC-D-96/2, 3 April 1956, approved at the IAC meeting on 17 April 1956.

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ITEM 6 - ██████████ Electronics Intelligence Conference

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8. The Chairman noted that the Chairman of the ██████████ Electronics Conference had forwarded a letter of appreciation to GMIC for its participation in ██████████ Electronics Intelligence Conference.

ITEM 7 - Exchange of Guided Missile Information

9. The Chairman informed the Committee that the Air Force has under consideration the recent statement by Krushchev to General Twining regarding a possible missile exchange. The Air Force is planning to bring a proposal to the attention of the IAC Exchange Subcommittee and will propose further that GMIC be asked to consider the possibility of a net U.S. intelligence gain in such an exchange.

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ITEM 8 - NIE 11-6-56

10. The Committee considered and approved the revised draft contribution to NIE 11-6-56, PART TWO, IV, B as requested by the Scientific Estimates Committee (SEC). SEC will be notified of Committee approval.

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ITEM 10 - NIE 11-5-56

12. The Committee discussed at length all of the contributions to PART TWO of NIE 11-5-56. It was determined that Section III A-D and Section IV B&C were not in complete consonance with the Terms of Reference.

13. CIA will prepare a revised draft of PART TWO, III, A-D and the military services will submit individual contributions of PART TWO, IV, B&C to GMIC as outlined in the original first draft responsibilities. Contributions are due in GMIC, 12 July 1956. The GMIC Staff will prepare Section IV B&C for distribution to the Committee.

ITEM 11 - Next Meeting

14. The Committee will hold its next meeting at 1330, 12 July 1956. Room 3E1060, Pentagon.

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Executive Secretary

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GUIDED MISSILE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

13 July 1956

MEMORANDUM FOR: Members, Guided Missile Intelligence
Committee

SUBJECT : NIE 11-6-56

1. The copy of the Guided Missile Intelligence
Committee (GMIC) contribution to NIE 11-6-56, approved
at our 12 July 1956 meeting, is enclosed for your
information and retention.

2. This contribution was forwarded to the Scientific
Estimates Committee (SEC) for inclusion in the overall
estimate for NIE 11-6-56.

George H. Wilson
GEORGE H. WILSON
Lt Colonel, USAF
Chairman, GMIC

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